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**EXAMINER:**

**GROUP ART UNIT:**

**APPLICATION NO. Not Yet Assigned**

**FILED: Herewith**

**TITLE: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND COMPUTER-PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR  
LONG-TERM ON-LINE COMPARISON SHOPPING**

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Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named new application for patent:

1. Specification (15 pgs.), claims (8 pgs.) and abstract (1 pg.);
2. Drawings (3 sheets);
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (**executed**);
4. Application Data Sheet; and
5. Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet.

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Please file the application and charge **International Business Machines (IBM)** Account No. **09-0461** the amount of **\$936.00** (\$896.00 Filing Fee and \$40.00 Assignment Recordal Fee). Two copies of this letter are enclosed. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. **09-0461** as required to correct the error.

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